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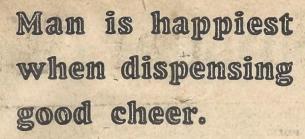
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# DEWARS

#### Football Argument

(Q.)—A player takes kick, and instead of s goal he hits the ball with of his foot, and passes sideways about three Should the referee greater the kick been properly

(A.)—If the kick is ways, i.e., if the ball the lel with the goal line, been properly taken, it down that the balkicked forward and ways is not forward, law also lays it down ball is not kicked for kick shall be awarded posite side. This is an free kicks from which not be scored direct.

(Q.)—Can you tell as sends a defending play field for swearing at him ball is within the pedoes the referee give in the penalty area or kick? If he gives a free a goal be scored direct.

(A.)—In such a case would give neither a nor a free kick. The swearing at the reference fringement of Law 1 referee can either player or order him of play. If he merely the referee would restarbly dropping the ball where it was when sounded.

If, however, he ordered off the field of play, a Law 17, he should game by awarding a first the opposite side from where the offence or noccurred. If the offence within the penalty area within the penalty area free kick would be the not a penalty kick. A not be scored direct free kick.

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#### tate League Players.

players who joined State teams, but now desire to with one of the official tions, has been discussed meetings of the Metro-Association, and it is hoped New South Wales Association week-end meeting a uniform policy for the the State.

last Council meeting of P.A. that body asked the ssociation to consider the and the week-end meeting the first N.S.W. meeting date.

sently to the Council disthe M.S.F.A. Management decided that a player played with an unregisociation (e.g., the State must secure permission a result of a personal before he would be play with an official the Association's compe-It is a fact, of course, State League admits readany hesitation, a ansferring to its ranks Association, and why ald be any hesitation on of the Association in wise is hard to under-

cation which has gradutoped is that of the Asversus the League, and be very unwise for the f to remain quiescent players are induced to breakaway ranks, and refuse permission for sue players to return to lation.

believe that the present will mend itself by the sear, and that the Asand the League will be

reconciled. That there is a possibility of that not occurring is easily seen when it is remembered that some of the "splits" in the game in years gone by have taken considerably longer to patch up. Generally the situation mentioned above of two bodies competing in the same branch and in the same grade of a sport leads to bitter antagonisms, which makes the work of coming together all the more difficult. That constitutionalism will ultimately win out there is not much room to doubt. But those controlling the destinies of the game, while acting firmly, must legislate wisely, always remembering that they are charged with the responsibility of "fostering the game," and they must be careful to do nothing to its detriment.

#### Queensland Itinerary.

The following is the tentative itinerary of the New South Wales team which will visit Queensland in June:—

Thursday, May 31: Arrive in Brisbane.

Saturday, June 2: Play Queensland.

Monday, June 4: Play Brisbane. Wednesday, June 6: Play Ipswich at Ipswich.

Saturday, June 9: Play Queensland.

The matches against Queensland and Brisbane will be played on the Sydney Cricket Ground.

#### Numbering of Players.

A player in first and second grade football is not properly attired unless his jersey is correctly numbered according to programme. There have been some lapses this year, and club secretaries are asked to keep a vigilant eye on their members.

#### Players' Insurance Fund.

Club secretaries and players are asked to keep by them the Rules and By-laws of the Players' Insurance Fund, and to strictly observe the conditions laid down when occasion arises.

This will save much correspondence, and also time and labour to all concerned.

#### Season Tickets.

Season tickets are again available. Gents., 15/s; ladies, 10/-. Apply to your local club.

#### The Victorians.

A strong representative Victorian Soccer team will visit New South Wales shortly, and play a series of Interstate games.

The itinerary has not yet been settled, but matches will be played in Newcastle, Sydney, and on the South Coast.

It is probable that the N.S.W. Test Match against Victoria will be played on Saturday, May 26th, and fixtures will be suspended in Sydney on that date.

#### Referees Wanted.

The Sydney Referees' Association announces that it has not sufficient referees to go round, and will welcome applications from those desirous of refereeing in the senior ranks.

Those interested should communicate with either the secretary of the Sydney Referees' Association or the secretary of the M.S.F.A., Sports Club, Sydney.

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EASTERN SUBURBS v. HOLMESVILLE, -S.C. Ground No. 2, 3.15.

> EASTERN SUBURBS. (Red, White, and Blue.) Robison

1-Lambie

2-Comrie

3-Watson 6-Dickens 7-Roberts

10-Dunn

4-Purnell 8-Gray 9-Courtney

5-Lock

14-Rohmer.

8-Kelly 7-Pilcher 4-Strong

5-Straker 2-O'Donnell

9-Fulton

1-Erickson

Dennis \*

HOLMESVILLE.

(Black.) Referee: T. Leighton. Reserves-Eastern Suburbs: 11-McEwan 12-Featherstone

SECOND GRADE.

EASTERN SUBURBS V. AUST. W. MILLS .- S.C. Ground

EASTERN SUBURBS. (Red, White, and Blue.) R. Caminiti

1-Moran

2-Hollidge

3-Rafter 6-Batchelor 7-Haynes

4-Dryden 8-Reid

5-UI 9-Flowers 10-31

(Team not available.)

AUSTRALIAN WOOLLEN MILLS.

Reserves-Eastern Suburbs: 11-Clilverd 12-Frederick 13-Referee: J. Hagus. Linesmen: C. Smith and L. Harber

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FIRST GRADE.

PYRMONT v. SOUTH SYDNEY .- Redfern Oval, 3.15.

PYRMONT. (Blue.)

P. McGroder

1-S. Robinson 2-G. Humphries

3-J. Cohen

4–T. Richards 5–E. Hill 8–R. Bennett 9–H. Booth 10–R. Doig 7-A. Adamson 11-C. Timms 12-Foden (Two to be omited.)

Moore 9-P. Patulney 8-S. King 7-E. Richards 6-A. Burne 5-R. Meek 3-A. Bayley 4-F. Burne 2-J. Condon

Cocking SOUTH SYDNEY. . (Red and Green.)

mee: G. McLay.

SECOND GRADE.

PYRMONT v. SOUTH SYDNEY .- Redfern Oval, 1.45.

PYRMONT. (Blue.)

(Team not available.)

9-J. Scanlan Elliott 5-C. Watson 2-Swan

4-C. Hurkett

8-E. Shaw 7-J. Pace 6-C. Elliott 3-Cables

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#### Eastern Suburbs.

The latest decision of Robertson, of Gladesville-Ryde, not to play for Eastern Suburbs after all was very disappointing to Easts' officials and selectors; but, nevertheless, the tricolours are confident of lowering the colours of Holmesville to-day at the Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2.

To date Easts have played three games, which have resulted in a win, a draw, and one lost. There are a few weak places in the team which have been occasioned by the transfer of such good players as Sanderson, Brady, and Peel to the State League, but it is hoped these difficulties will be over-come before long. Robison is still a good custodian, though one would like to see him "getting down" to ground shots instead of kicking so often. Although young, Lambie plays very well at rightback, and, with such a fine partner as Comrie, should improve. "Jock" is playing as well as ever, and can still show a clean pair of heels to many younger Soccerites. Lockhead is a fine defensive player, and also passes accurately to his forwards. Gray, a new centre-half, should be an asset to his club once he settles down; he distributes the ball well, and is a cool, calculating pivot. Easts should persevere with him, as he is quite a young player. A good right-half has not yet been found to suitably fill the place of Peel. But where is Harry English? Or, failing him, Purnell? It is of no use including a young and practically inexperienced player in a first grade team, as was done against Pyrmont. Watson, of the reserve team, would have been a much better substitute. Dickens is a greatly improved right-winger, and now centres the ball with accuracy; it is pleasant to see him able to keep his place in the first team. Featherstone, as an insideright, knows the game, but is too selfish; he should pass more often to his partner on the wing, and realise that he is not assisting his club by "beating" perhaps two opponents and losing the ball to a third. It isn't team work, and no one knows it more than the player himself. He would be well advised to alter his tactics, and thus materially assist his club. Roberts as a centre-forward is not playing up to the form he displayed in the same position last

#### **PROGRAMME**

#### FIRST GRADE.

AUBURN v. CANTERBURY.—Canterbury Recreation Ground

AUBURN. (Maroon.)

(Goal)

C. Callaghan 1-E. Bainbridge

I-E. Bainbridge 2-A. Hilder
3-G. Cole 4-C. McKay 5-C. Malcolm
6-R. Hutchison 7-J. Musgrave 8-A. McKay 9-C. Daley 10-D

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 $\begin{array}{cc} 10\mathrm{-Kermond} & 9\mathrm{-Miller} \\ 5\mathrm{-Ruffell} \\ 2\mathrm{-Read} \end{array}$ 

8-Wright 4-Forbes 7-Cook 3-McLeod 1-McLaren

Greagg (Goal)

CANTERBURY.
(Blue and Gold.)

Reserves—Canterbury: 11-Horan 12-Dowling

Referee: J. Thompson.

#### SECOND GRADE.

AUBURN v. CANTERBURY.—Canterbury Recreation Ground

AUBURN. (Maroon.)

(Goal) A. Burnett

1-L. Taylor 2-H. Thoroughgood 3-H. Dewar 4-E. McKay 5-H. Pilon or Nicholson 6-A. Smorti 7-E. Rice 8-A. Brewer 9-R. Wade

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23-Hotsen 22-Metcalfe 18-W. Smith 15-S. Moyes

21-L. Moyes 17-Stepto

20-Bongers 16-Heymen 14-Heterick

Wernicke (Goal)

CANTERBURY. (Blue and Gold.)

Reserves-Canterbury: 24-Brown 25-L. Smith

Referee: H. Battin.

season; his best method is to keep well down between the opposing backs, and grasp every opportunity that arises to shoot for goal. Courtney's play pleases at insideleft, and he will doubtless make as many openings as possible for his speedy partner. It would benefit the team, however, were he (and Featherstone) to open up the play by occasionally driving the ball to the opposite wing.

All Soccerites will learn that Secretary sustained a fractured street accident last were sincerely hoped that the enthusiast will soon be feet" and again holding tarial reins of the Eastral reins of

# Protestant Churches Association

#### TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Thomas' A should have no notify in towelling Lakemba. A, and Warren Meths. to account for Austen's. Sie Pres. A will fully extend Hill Pres., but that is all. ton Congs. A got a rude last week, and it will proboto them the world of good against All Saints' A.

St. Barnabas' would only a bit' and get some condithey'd go farther. H. Park A and Punchbowl Meths. Sect each to win, so a draw result. All Saints' B, Tempe Meths, B, Warren Meths. B, St. Andrews' (S.H.) A ought leet points.

mpsie Meths. C expect to their Hurlstone Park con-

rivals will meet on Canter-No. 2 at 3.15—Balmain Bapt.
their Baptist friends. We the winners might get the Referee Poon will be kept

rsham Bapt. A are vastly wed, as St. Aidan's A will find Helping Hand Mission weet a team from their parent, Balmain Meths. The rewill be interesting.

for Rockdale Pres. to-day.

An's will fully extend South wille Meths., but not much we think.

#### COUNCIL MEETING.

that a Council meeting will in the Rozelle Methodist Hall on Tuesday next, at

#### CHURCH PARADES.

following Church Parades
een arranged, and all teams
pected to fully support
—South Sydney Branch,
han's (Dar.), May 13, 7.15
cook Branch, Campsie Meth.
May 20, 7.15 p.m.; Dalley
Balmain Meth. Church,
7.15 p.m. Other services
arranged later on.

#### COAT BADGES.

Coat badges for players and supporters are now ready, and team secretaries should make a point of getting a supply for their teams. Price, 1/6 each. They are also available from ground managers.

#### REFEREES' ASSOCIATION.

The next meeting of the Referees' Association will be held in St. Barnabas' School Hall at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday night. Referees who have not sat for the exam. must be present.

# DRAW FOR SATURDAY. FIRST GRADE.

Austen's v. Dul. Hill Pres., Cook's River No. 1, 3.15.

Campsie Meths. A v. All Saints' A, Croydon Park, 3.15.

Campsie Pres. A v. L'hardt Meths. A, Ashfield, 3.15.

Croydon Congs. A v. St. Thomas' A, Canterbury No. 2, 3.15.

Warren Meths, A v. Lakemba Congs. A, Wardell No. 2, 3.15.

#### SOUTH SYDNEY BRANCH.

#### Second Grade.

Botany Pres. A v. St. Barnabas', Botany, 3.15.

St. Alban's (Ult.) A v. Balmain Meths. B, Canterbury No. 4, 3.15.

Nih. Croydon Bapt. A v. St. Silas', Rosebery, 3.15.

Holy Trinity the bye.

#### Third Grade.

Botany Pres. B v. St. Alban's (Ult.) B, Wardell No. 2, 1.45.

May St. Meths. v. St. Andrew's (Lak.) B, Cook's R, No. 3, 1.45.

Alex. Congs. v. St. Mark's, Rosebery, 1.45.

Redfern Congs. v. St. Alban's (Dar.) B, Botany, 1.45.

St. Alban's (Dar.) A v. McNeil Memorial, Cent. Pk. No. 1, 3.15.

#### DALLEY BRANCH,

#### Second Grade.

Petersham Bapt. A v. Balmain Meths. A, Canterbury No. 3, 3.15. St. Aidan's A v. St. Paul's A, Wardell Road No. 4, 3.15.

Balmain Bapt. A v. St. John's (Bal.), Cent. Park No. 2, 3.15. All Saints' C v. Leichhardt Pres., Canterbury No. 3, 1.45.

L'hardt Meths. B. v. St. Thomas' B, Centennial Park No. 2, 1.45.

#### Third Grade.

Petersham Bapt. B v. Leichhardt Meths. C, Canterbury No. 3, 3.15. St. Paul's B v. Balmain Bapt. B, Wardell Road No. 4, 1.45.

Lakemba Congs. C v. Helping Hd. Mission, Canterbury No. 2, 1.45. Balmain Meths. C v. B'main Meths. D, Canterbury No. 4, 1.45. St. Aidan's B the bye.

# COOK BRANCH. Second Grade.

Punchbowl Meths. A v. All Saints' B, Lakemba, 3.15.

Hurlstone Pk. Meths. A v. Warren Meths. B, Wardell, No. 3, 3.15. M'kville Congs. v. Tempe Park Meths. B, Wardell No. 1, 3.15. Campsie Pres. B v. Croydon Congs.

B. Wardell Road No. 1, 1.45. Campsie Meths. B v. St. Andrew's (S.H.) A. Croydon Park, 1.45.

#### Third Grade.

Punchbowl Meths. B v. St. Andrew's (S.H.) B, P'bowl, 3.15.
Hurlstone Pk. Meths. B v. Dulwich Hill Meths., Wardell No. 3, 1.45.
Croydon Congs. C v. Nth. Croydon Bapt. B, Ashfield, 1.45.

Campsie Meths. C v. Lakemba Congs. B, Lakemba, 1.45.

Tempe Park Meths. B v. St. Andrew's (Lak.), Punchbowl, 1.45.

#### ST. GEORGE BRANCH.

#### Second Grade.

South Hurstville Meths. v. Penshurst Pres., Penshurst, 1.45. Carlton Bapt. v. St. John's, Penshurst, 3.15.

Peakhurst Meths. the bye.

#### Third Grade.

St. Paul's (Kog.) v. Rockdale Pres., 3.15.

Banksia Free Church v. Rockdale Church of Christ, 1.45.

Rockdale Meths. v. Bexley Pres., 3.15.

# N. S. W. and Metrop. Associations

#### Results.

OPENING ROUND, APRIL 14.

Adamstown 3, New Lambton nil. Balgownie 7, Wallsend 2. Holmesville 3, Cardiff 2. Canterbury 7, Pyrmont 4, W. Wallsend 7, Auburn 1. Corrimal 2, Balmain 1. N. Sydney 5, Thirroul 3. E. Suburbs 2, Helensburgh 1. South Sydney the bye.

#### SECOND GRADE.

Auburn 3, Aust. W. Mills 1.
Canterbury 2, Pyrmont 1.
Callan Park v. Balmain (deferred).
South Sydney v. Perdronians (deferred).
E. Suburbs 2, N. Sydney 1.

#### SECOND ROUND.

#### FIRST GRADE.

North Sydney 3, Easts 3.
Auburn 3, Balmain 1.
South Sydney 6, Canterbury 3.
Balgownie 1, Adamstown 1.
New Lambton 6, Corimal 1.
Helensburgh 2, Thirroul 1.
W. Wallsend 5, Holmesville 2.
Wallsend 4, Cardiff nil.
Pyrmont the bye.

#### SECOND GRADE.

Auburn 3, Balmain 2. Eastern Subs. 2, Perdronians nil. Canterbury 6, South Sydney nil. North Sydney 4, Callan Park 2. Pyrmont 7, Aust. W. Mills 1.

#### THIRD ROUND.

Pyrmont 4, Eastern Suburbs 2.
Auburn 3, South Sydney 1.
Canterbury 3, North Sydney 2.
West Wallsend 6, N. Lambton 4.
Adamstown 4, Cardiff 1.
Wallsend 1, Holmesville nil.
Balgownie v. Helensburgh (deferred).
Thirroul v. Corrimal (deferred)

#### SECOND GRADE.

Pyrmont 6, Eastern Suburbs 1. Auburn 3, South Sydney 1. Canterbury 1, North Sydney 1. Perdronians 3, Callan Pk. nil. Balmain v. Aust. W. Mills (result not to hand).

#### FOURTH ROUND.

Balmain 2, Balgownie 1.
South Sydney 4, Helensburgh 3.
Thirroul 3, Auburn 2.
Pyrmont 6, North Sydney 2.
Corrimal 3, Wallsend nil.
Adamstown 6, Holmesville nil.
W. Wallsend 8, Cardiff 3.
New Lambton 5, Canterbury 2.
Eastern Suburbs the bye.
Auburn 2, Perdronians 2.
Canterbury 2, Aust. W. Mills 2.
Eastern Suburbs 4, Balmain 2.
Pyrmont 6, North Sydney nil.
Callan Park 1, South Sydney nil.

#### The Fixtures.

MAY 5th.
FIRST GRADE.
West Wallsend v. Wallsend.
New Lambton v. Cardiff.

Adamstown v. North Sydney. Easts v. Holmesville, S.C. Gd., No. 2 (T. Leighton). Corrimal v. Balgownie, Corrimal. Helensburgh v. Balmain. Helens-

Helensburgh v. Balmain, Helensburgh. South Sydney v. Pyrmont, Red-

fern (G. McLay). Auburn v. Canterbury, Canterbury Rec. Gd. (J. Thompson).

SECOND GRADE.

Thirroul the bye.

South Sydney v. Pyrmont, Redern, 1.45 (W. Clark).

Auburn v. Canterbury, Canterbury Rec. Gd., 1.45 (H. Battin).

Easts v. Aust. W. Mills, Syd. Ckt. Gd., No. 2, 1.45 (J. Hague).

Balmain v. Callan Pk., Cal. Pk., 2.30 (E. J. Martin).

Nth. Sydney v. Perdronians Granville Showground, 3.15 (B. Hyslop).

#### MAY 12th.

FIRST GRADE.

Adamstown v. West Wallsend, Adamstown.

Wallsend v. New Lambton, Wallsend.

Cardiff v. Easts, Cardiff. Holmesville the bye.

Balmain v. Pyrmont, Wentworth

South Sydney v. North Sydney, Redfern.

Thirroul v. Canterbury, Thirroul. Helensburgh v. Corrimal, Helensburgh.

Balgownie v. Auburn, Balgownie.

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SECOND GRADE

South Sydney v. North Redfern, 1.45.

Balmain v. Pyrmont, Wez-Park, 1.45.

Callan Park v. Aust. W. Mills lan Park, 2.30.

Canterbury v. Perdronians Gd., No. 2, 1.45.

Auburn v. Easts, S.C. Gd., 3.15.

#### N.S.W. ASSOCIATION M W D L B

# SECOND GRADE. P W L D

Auburn ..... 4 3 1 11-Pyrmont ..... 4 3 1 0 20-Canterbury .. 4 2 0-211-East. Suburbs 4 3 1 Perdronians ... 3 1 North Sydney 4 1 2 Callan Park.. 3 1 0 3-Aust. W. Mills 3 0 2 Balmain .... 2 0 E . South Sydney 3 0 3 0 1 Result of match Balma Aust. W. Mills not to hand

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